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Mr. Lyman B. Kirkpatrick Department of Political Science Brown University Providence, Rhode Island

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Dear Kirk,

I was genuinely disappointed to find that you had cut short your stay in Ting's office on your last day of active duty. I had hoped to take advantage of your proximity to have a liesurely conversation on the trend of things-and still hope to do so. However, an envelope containing your autographed portrait arrived several days later and filled the loss in a different way. In any event, thank you very much for the kind words and thoughtfulness. For my part, I shall value our friendship for many years and will attempt to keep you posted on my own plans as they unfold. In the mean-time, I propose to honor my commitment to supply you with two fifths of Washington gin each time I drive north through Sekonk, but will wish to ensure the quality of each bottle by a brief on-site inspection.

Very best wishes for the next academic/ fiscal year.

Sincerely.

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Albert D. Wheelon

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